1661#3

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class-mail envelope addressed to: Commissioner of Patents, U.S. Patent Office P.O. Box 2327 Arlington VA 22202; on

Date

Typed or Printed Name of Person Mailing Paper or Fee

OCT 1 8 2002

Tech CENTER 1600/2900

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In RE:

Serial no.:

09/944,932

Filing date:

08/31/2001

For:

Euphorbia Plant named 'Charam'

Inventor:

Tickner

Atty. Docket no.:

PH39

Group Art-Unit:

1661

Examiner:

Para

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

## **AMENDMENT and RESPONSE**

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action dated 08/13/2002. No fees are believed to be due.

Please amend as follows:

In the Claim:

Please delete the present claim and insert the new claim that is enclosed on the substitute specification.